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Re: US Patent Application 09/808,714  
Filed March 14, 2000  
Title Detector System for a Particle Beam Apparatus, and Particle Beam  
Apparatus With Such a Detector System  
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Attorney Docket (Z) 00022 P US

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Amendment

Dear Examiner Johnston:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed 24 August 2004,  
please amend the above identified application as follows:

In the claims: Status identifiers are added to all of the claims. The claims are set  
forth on the following pages.

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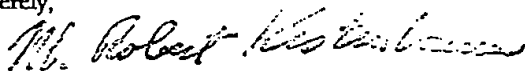
## NOTES/COMMENTS:

Dear Examiner Johnston:

I am faxing a response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on 24 August 2004. The previously submitted Amendment should now be in order for your review. At the time the Amendment was originally submitted, status identifiers were not required. The status identifiers have now been included.

We look forward to receiving your response to the previously submitted Amendment.

Sincerely,

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